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In re Application of
HANAM, GERALD J.
Application No. 09/206,097
Filed: December 4, 1998
For: **SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR
FACILITATING DISCOVERY OF
NETWORK ADDRESSES ...WHICH
ARE CONNECTED IN DIGITAL DATA
NETWORKS**

**DECISION ON PETITION
TO WITHDRAW HOLDING OF
ABANDONMENT**

This is a decision on the Petition for Withdrawal of Abandonment, filed February 7, 2005, requesting the holding of abandonment be withdrawn in the above-identified application.

This application was held abandoned for failure to timely submit the issue fee in response to the Notice of Allowance and Issue Fee Due mailed June 1, 2004. A Notice of Abandonment was mailed January 13, 2005.

A review of the record indicates that a Revocation and Power of Attorney was filed prior to the Notice of Allowance mailed of June 1, 2004 but not matched with the file. A copy of the Power of Attorney was filed on September 2, 2004 having attached thereto a copy of a post card receipt evidencing an original receipt date of May 10, 2004. The Notice of Allowance was mistakenly mailed to a previous correspondence address resulting in an irregularity in mailing.

In view of the above stated reasons the holding of abandonment is withdrawn. The Notice of Allowance is vacated.

The petition is **GRANTED**.

The application file will be forwarded to the Technology Center's technical support staff for preparing a new Notice of Allowance and for re-mailing the Notice of Allowability. The period for submitting the issue fee will run three months from the mailing date of the Notices.

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